

REMARKS

This application has been reviewed in light of the Office Action dated February 12, 2003. Claims 1-57 are now presented for examination. Claims 20 and 42 have been amended to define more clearly what Applicant regards as his invention. Claims 47-57 have been added to provide Applicant with a more complete scope of protection. Claims 1, 22, 44, 45, 46, 47, and 53 are in independent form. Favorable reconsideration is requested.

Initially, the Examiner is sincerely thanked for the indication that Claims 1-19, 22-41, and 44-46 are allowed.

The drawings were objected to for the reasons given on page 2 of the Office Action. The specification has been amended to insert reference numeral "103" in an appropriate place therein. Also, it is proposed to amend the drawings in the attached Request For Approval of Drawing Changes to remove reference signs "D_{ox}" and "D_{oy}" from appropriate ones of the drawings. Entry of the proposed drawing changes is respectfully requested, as is withdrawal of the objection to the drawings.

The Abstract has been amended so as to not exceed 150 words. The Examiner is thanked for reminding Applicant of this requirement in the Office Action.

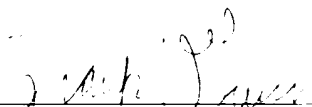
Claims 20, 21, 42, and 43 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as indefinite. Claims 20 and 42 have been amended to replace the recitation "said face plate" with "--said second substrate--", as deemed necessary to overcome the Section 112 rejection. Support in the specification for this change can be found at least at page 23, line 14, which states, "[n]umeral 11 denotes a face plate (second substrate). . . ." It is believed that the Section 112, second paragraph, rejection has been overcome, and its withdrawal is therefore respectfully requested. Claims 20, 21, 42, and 43 are now believed to be in condition for allowance, as are any claims dependent thereon.

Claims 47-57 have been added herein, and also are believed to be in condition for allowance.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests favorable reconsideration and early passage to issue of the present application.

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